Sec. 30, S1/2 of lot 2 of NW1/4, lot 1, and N1/2 of lot 2 of SW1/4 (originally described as SW1/4NW1/4, N1/2SW1/4, and SE1/4SW1/4):

Sec. 31, NW¹/₄NE¹/₄, SE¹/₄NE¹/₄, N¹/₂ of lot 1 of NW1/4 (originally described as NE1/4NW1/4), and NE1/4SE1/4.

The areas described aggregate 6.50 acres in Inyo County.

- 2. The above described lands are hereby made available for exchange under Section 206 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1716 (1988).
- 3. The lands have been open to mining under the provisions of the Mining Claims Rights Restoration Act of 1955, 30 U.S.C. 621 (1988). However, since this act applies only to lands withdrawn for power purposes, the provisions of the act are no longer applicable. The lands have been and continue to be open to mineral leasing.
- 4. The State of California has waived its right of selection in accordance with the provisions of Section 24 of the Federal Power Act of June 10, 1920, as amended, 16 U.S.C. 818 (1988).

Dated: January 10, 1997. **Bob Armstrong** Assistant Secretary of the Interior. [FR Doc. 97-1473 Filed 1-21-97; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4310-40-P

National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places; **Notification of Pending Nominations**

Nominations for the following properties being considered for listing in the National Register were received by the National Park Service before January 11, 1996. Pursuant to section 60.13 of 36 CFR Part 60 written comments concerning the significance of these properties under the National Register criteria for evaluation may be forwarded to the National Register, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, D.C. 20013-7127. Written comments should be submitted by February 6, 1997.

Carol D. Shull,

Keeper of the National Register.

CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles County: Farnsworth, Gen. Charles S., County Park, 568 E. Mt. Curve Ave., Altadena, 97000027 Modoc County: Adin Supply Company, W side of Main St. between Center and McDowell Sts., Adin, 97000028 **COLORADO**

Teller County: Twin Creek Ranch, 1465 Teller Co. Rd. 31, Florissant vicinity, 97000029

GEORGIA

Muscogee County: Green Island Ranch, 6551 Green Island Dr., Columbus, 97000030

ILLINOIS

Adams County: Coca-Cola Bottling Company Building, 616 N. 24th St., Quincy, 97000032

McLean County: Greenlee, Robert, House, 806 N. Evans St., Bloomington, 97000033 Stephenson County: Lena Water Tower, 201 Vernon St., Lena, 97000034

Winnebago County: Chick House, 119-123 S. Main St., Rockford, 97000031 MISSISSIPPI

Lee County: Tupelo Homesteads, Co. Rds. 665 and 657 and Co. Dr. 647, S of jct. with the Natchez Trace Parkway, Tupelo, 97000035

TENNESSEE

Tipton County: Canaan Baptist Church, 211 N. Main St., Covington, 97000036 Tipton County: Coca-Cola Bottling Plant, 126 US 51, S, Covington, 97000038 Tipton County: Old Trinity Episcopal Church, Charleston Rd., 4 mi. NE of Mason, Mason vicinity, 97000039 Tipton County: South College Street Historic District, 600, 700, and 800

Blocks of S. College St., Covington, 97000037

VERMONT

Bennington County: Dorset Village Historic District (Boundary Increase), Jct. of Church St. and West Rd., Dorset, 97000040

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Bureau of Reclamation

Central Valley Project Improvement Act, Criteria for Evaluating Water **Conservation Plans**

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of draft decision of evaluation of water conservation plans.

SUMMARY: To meet the requirements of the Central Valley Project Improvement Act (CVPIA), the Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) developed and published the Criteria for Evaluating Water Conservation Plans (Criteria) dated April 30, 1993. These Criteria were developed based on information provided during public scoping and public review sessions held throughout Reclamation's Mid-Pacific (MP) Region. Reclamation uses these Criteria to evaluate the adequacy of all water conservation plans developed by project contractors in the MP Region, including those required by the Reclamation Reform Act of 1982. The Criteria were developed and the plans evaluated for the purpose of promoting the most efficient water use reasonably achievable by all MP Region's contractors. Reclamation made a commitment (stated within the Criteria)

to publish a notice of its draft determination on the adequacy of each contractor's water conservation plan in the Federal Register and to allow the public a minimum of 30 days to comment on its preliminary determinations. This program is ongoing; an updated list will be published to recognize districts as plans are revised to meet the Criteria.

DATES: All public comments must be received by Reclamation by February 21, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Please mail comments to the address provided below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Marsha Prillwitz, Bureau of Reclamation, 2800 Cottage Way, MP-402 Sacramento CA 95825. To be placed on a mailing list for any subsequent information, please write Marsha Prillwitz or telephone at (916) 979-

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Under provisions of Section 3405(e) of the CVPIA (Title 34 of Public Law 102-575), "The Secretary [of the Interior | shall establish and administer an office on Central Valley Project water conservation best management practices that shall * * * develop criteria. For evaluating the adequacy of all water conservation plans developed by project contractors, including those plans required by section 210 of the Reclamation Reform Act of 1982." Also, according to Section 3405(e)(1), these criteria will be developed "* * * with the purpose of promoting the highest level of water use efficiency reasonably achievable by project contractors using best available cost-effective technology and best management practices."

The MP Criteria states that all parties (districts) that contract with Reclamation for water supplies (municipal and industrial contracts over 2,000 irrigable acre-feet and agricultural contracts over 2,000 irrigable acres) will prepare water conservation plans which will be evaluated by Reclamation based on the following required information detailed in the steps listed below to develop, implement, monitor, and update their water conservation plans. The steps are:

- 1. Coordinate with other agencies and the public.
 - 2. Describe the district.
 - Inventory water resources.
- 4. Review the past water conservation plan and activities.
- 5. Identify best management practices to be implemented.
- 6. Develop schedules, budgets, and projected results.
- 7. Review, evaluate, and adopt the water conservation plan.